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Title: **STILL PICTURE PROCESSING FOR MPEG-2 VIDEO**

APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- (1) ☒ Patent Application Specification, including Abstract and claims - 31 pages
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- (5) ☐ Applicant claims small entity status

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